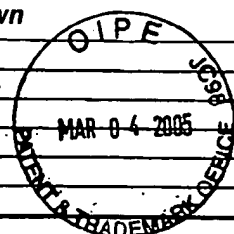


IDS Form PTO/SB/08: Substitute for form 1449A/PTO				Complete if Known	
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT <i>(Use as many sheets as necessary)</i>				<i>Application Number</i>	10/693,911
				<i>Filing Date</i>	October 28, 2003
				<i>First Named Inventor</i>	Robert PARKER
				<i>Art Unit</i>	3672
				<i>Examiner Name</i>	Hoang C. Dang
<i>Attorney Docket Number</i>	07051.0034				
Sheet	1	of	1		



U.S. PATENTS AND PUBLISHED U.S. PATENT APPLICATIONS					
Examiner Initials	Cite No. ¹	Document Number	Issue or Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		Number-Kind Code ² (if known)			
SA		US-3,606,926	09/21/71	Schwegman	Col. 16, line 32; col. 17, line 24; figs. 5-10
SA		US-5,960,884	10/05/99	Echols et al.	Fig. 4
SA		US-6,131,953	10/17/00	Connell et al.	Figs. 2-7; col. 6, line 46; col. 7, line 62

Note: Copies of the U.S. Patent Documents are not Required in IDS filed after October 21, 2004

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS						
Examiner Initials	Cite No. ¹	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	Translation ⁶
		Country Code ³ Number ⁴ Kind Code ⁵ (if known)				
SA		EP 0 624 709 A2	11/17/94	Sofitech NV	Col. 5, line 19; col. 6, line 10; fig. 4	

NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS			
Examiner Initials	Cite No. ¹	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	Translation ⁶

Examiner Signature	<i>Dang</i>	Date Considered	3/19/2005
--------------------	-------------	-----------------	-----------

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.